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Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 583

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NOTICE.

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MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS.
Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 572

NOTICE.

MR. CHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES is authorized to Sign our Name by Procuration, in Hongkong, from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, March 24, 1884. 528

NOTICE.

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HENRY J. HOLMES.
Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 573

Intimations.

NOTICE.

C. L. THEVENIN'S WINE AND SPIRIT STORE has, from this date, been temporarily REMOVED to No. 4, PEDDAR'S HILL.

Hongkong, March 26, 1884. 542

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, December 12, 1883. 1121

Intimations.

TO THE RESIDENTS OF HONGKONG AND VICINITY.

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I am yours faithfully,
G. O. ROGERS.
Hongkong, April 2, 1884. 578

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the MEMBERS of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will be held at the Bath House on TUESDAY, the 8th April, at 6 p.m., to consider the Resolution which has been circulated among the MEMBERS of the CLUB.

J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 557

WILLIAM DOLAN,

SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,
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COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BOOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.
Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 256

NOTICE.

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E. F. DE SOUZA.
Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 345

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Hongkong, February 28, 1884. 368

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Hongkong, January 31, 1884. 189

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Hongkong, March 12, 1884. 447

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Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 467

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Hongkong, March 18, 1884. 487

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THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
MR. SAMUEL J. GOWER has This Day been appointed SECRETARY to the above Company.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
E. R. BELLIOS, Chairman.
Hongkong, April 1, 1884. 563

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. THOMAS ARNOLD will act as Secretary of the above Company until further Notice.
E. R. BELLIOS, Chairman.
Hongkong, February 25, 1884. 346

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A. McIVER, Superintendent.
Hongkong, March 13, 1884. 455

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Hongkong, March 25, 1884. 536

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G. R. LAMBERT,
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Hongkong, March 31, 1884. 563

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